GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Agriculture & Cooperation Department – Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar/the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA, Ananthapur - Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of charge – Orders - Issued.

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AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 822 Dated: 19-12-2017

Read:-

Letter Rc.No.6641/2012/SG-3, dt:07.12.2017 of the Special Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies, A.P., Guntur.

ORDER:-

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA, Ananthapur in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the A.P Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in enclosed statement of Article of charges (Annexure–I). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure–II & III).

3. Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA, Ananthapur is directed to submit within 10 days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.

4. Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA, Ananthapur is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those Article of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each Article of charge.

5. Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA, Ananthapur is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in pare-3 above further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar/the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA, Ananthapur is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matters dealt with in these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA,

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Ananthapur is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against his for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

7. The receipt of the order shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.RAJSEKHAR
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa presently APD, DWMA, Ananthapur through Special CC&RCS, A.P., Guntur.
Copy to :-
The Special Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies, A.P., Guntur with a request to serve the charge memo on the individual and furnish dated acknowledgement to this office.
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ANNEXURE – I

Article of Charge- 1 :-

That Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar/APD, DWMA, Ananthapur while working as District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa was appointed as Inquiry Officer U/s 51 of the APCS Act, 1964 to inquire into the affairs of the Mannuru PACS, Kadapa District. He failed to submit the report within stipulated time which shows gross negligence in discharging legitimate duties thereby violation of Rule (3)(5) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Basis of the charge:-

As per the U.O.Note No.17334/2011/PACS-III, dt.27-11-2017, Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, SCDR/the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa was appointed as Inquiry Officer U/s 51 of APCS Act, 1964 vide Procgs. No. 17334/2011/PACS-III, dt.21-09-2012 of the CC & RCS, A.P., Hyderabad to inquire into the constitution working and financial position of Mannuru PACS Ltd., YSR District, Kadapa with special reference to the sale of the assigned lands by the SCDR/OSD, KDCCB Ltd., Kadapa for the period from 2008 and instructed to complete the Inquiry within (60) days from the date of receipt of the proccedings and submit the report in full shape.

Sri C.S.Chandhra Sekhar, Inquiry Officer/DCO, Kadapa submitted the report of Inquiry U/S 51 of APCS Act in respect of Mannuru PACS on 16.08.2013 after lapse of one year. He was asked to submit further report in the matter within 15 days, vide letter No. 17334/2011/PACS-III, dt.13-11-2013 of the CC & RCS, AP., Hyderabad as he did not made any observations about disposal of assigned lands by the OSD/SCDR, KDCCB Ltd., Kadapa and also failed to specify the lapses of concerned who involved in the matter. He had submitted his further report on 31-03-2014 after lapse of (4) months.

The Inquiry officer U/s (51) of APCS Act, 1964 took nearly 1 year 4 months time to complete the inquiry and submit the report entrusted to him where as the statutory time specified for completion of inquiry is six months.

Hence, the charge.

Article of Charge- 2 :-

That Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar/APD, DWMA, Ananthapur while working as District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa was appointed as Inquiry Officer U/s 51 of the APCS Act, 1964 to inquire into the affairs of the Mannuru PACS, Kadapa District. He has submitted perfunctory report and could not fix responsibility on the concerned which shows gross negligence and dereliction of duties by failing to perform the task assigned to him with the quality of performance expected of him, hence, lacking in devotion to duty U/r (3)(5) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Basis of the charge:-

As per the U.O.Note No.17334/2011/PACS-III, dt:27.11.2017, Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, SCDR/the then District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa was appointed as Inquiry Officer U/s 51 of APCS Act, 1964 vide Procgs. No. 17334/2011/PACS-III, dt.21-09-2012 of the CC & RCS, A.P., Hyderabad to inquire into the constitution working and financial position of Mannuru PACS

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Ltd., YSR District, Kadapa with special reference to the sale of the assigned lands by the SCDR/OSD, KDCCB Ltd., Kadapa for the period from 2008 and instructed to complete the Inquiry within (60) days from the date of receipt of the proccedings and submit the report in full shape.

Sri C.S.Chandhra Sekhar, Inquiry Officer/DCO, Kadapa submitted the report of Inquiry U/S 51 of APCS Act in respect of Mannuru PACS on 16.08.2013 after lapse of one year. The Inquiry Officer had not inquired into the aspects referred to him and he failed to examine as to why the entire land was put to auction contrary to rule 52 (5)(d) of APCS Rules and no responsibility was fixed. The Inquiry Officer also not examined in how many cases loans were sanctioned by pledging assigned lands and how many cases became default and whether EPs were filed and executed as per procedure. He had submitted the bald report without examining the issues in detail and without fixing any liability against the concerned who are involved in these irregularities.

Hence, the charge.

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ANNEXURE – II

List of documents by which the Draft article of charge framed against Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / APD, DWMA, Ananthapur while working as District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa are proposed to be sustained:

1) Procgs.Rc.No.17334/2011/PC3, dt.21-09-2012 of the CC & RCS, AP., Hyderabad.

2) Copy of report of Inquiry U/s 51 of APCS Act, 1964 into the affairs of the PACS, Mannuru, YSR District Kadapa submitted by Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, SCDR/the then DCO, Kadapa/Inquiry officer.

3) Letter No. 17334/2011/PACS-III, dt.13-11-2013 of the CC & RCS, AP., Hyderabad.

4) Cory of Lr.Rc.No.251/2006-DCO/CDP/2014, dt.31-03-2014 of the DCO, Kadapa/Inquiry officer (further Inquiry report).

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ANNEXURE – III

List of witnesses by whom the Draft article of charge framed Sri C.S.Chandra Sekhar, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar/APD, DWMA, Ananthapur while working as District Cooperative Officer, Kadapa are proposed to be sustained:

- NIL -

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